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Welcome, one and all! Do you know what time it is?

TIME TO RUN RINGS AROUND DR. EGGMAN?

Uh... no, Sonic. It's time for --

INVENTING A SELF-LOADING COFFEE MACHINE?

That'd be cool, Tails, but we're about to start --

BROADENING OUR MINDS AND EXPANDING OUR INTELLECTUAL HORIZONS?

Not in this book, Amy. It's time for --

THE ALIEN-HYBRID RYE BREAD UPRISING?!

No! Sticks! Shush! Sit!
It's time for --

HEY, GUYS! WHAT'S GOING ON?

sigh Here's a brand new Sonic Boom story.

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PIT CREW: RICK BRYANT / FLAG WAVER: MATT HERMS
TIRE ROTATOR: JACK MORELLI
FLASHY DECAL: TRACY YARDLEY, RICK BRYANT & MATT HERMS
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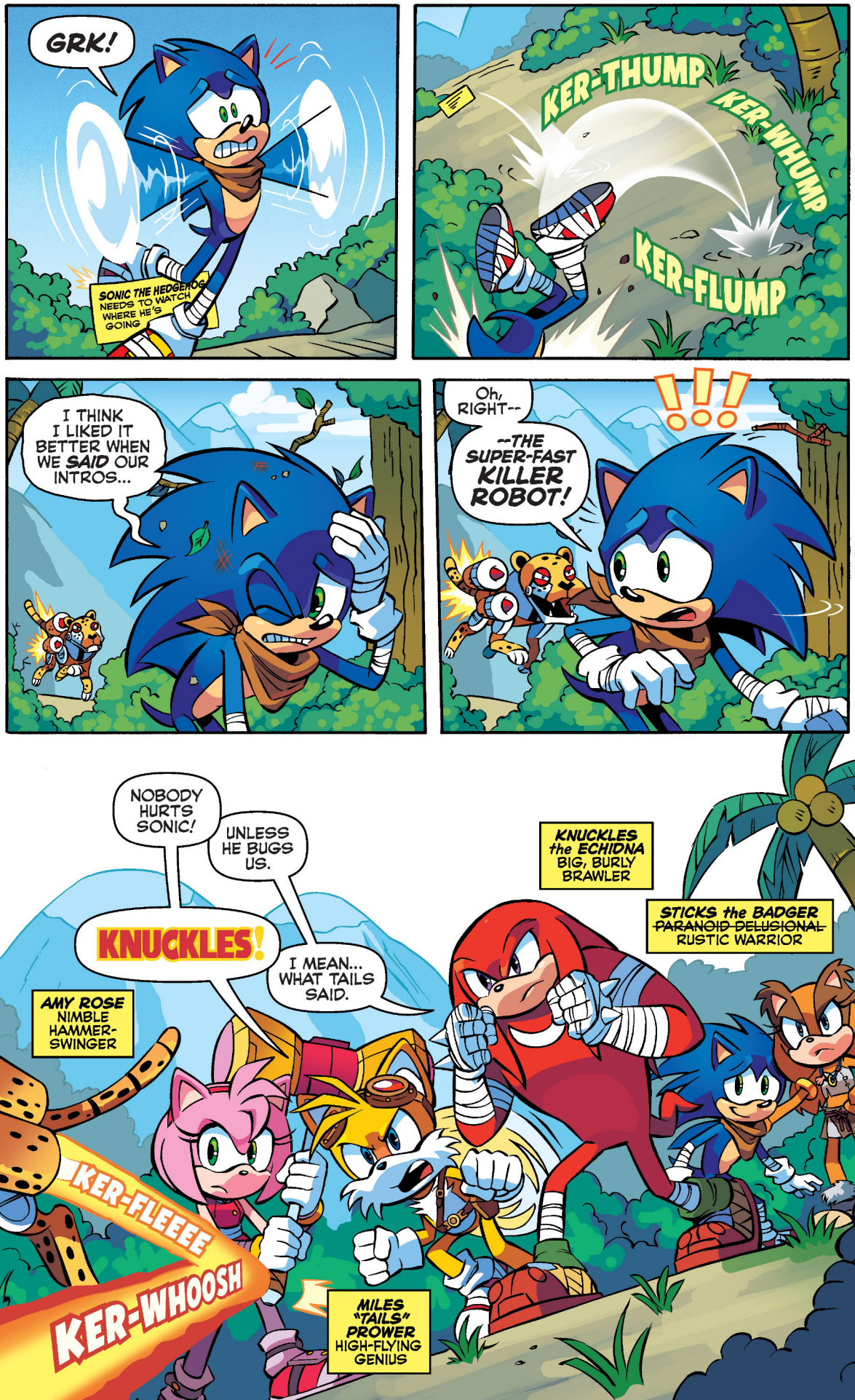
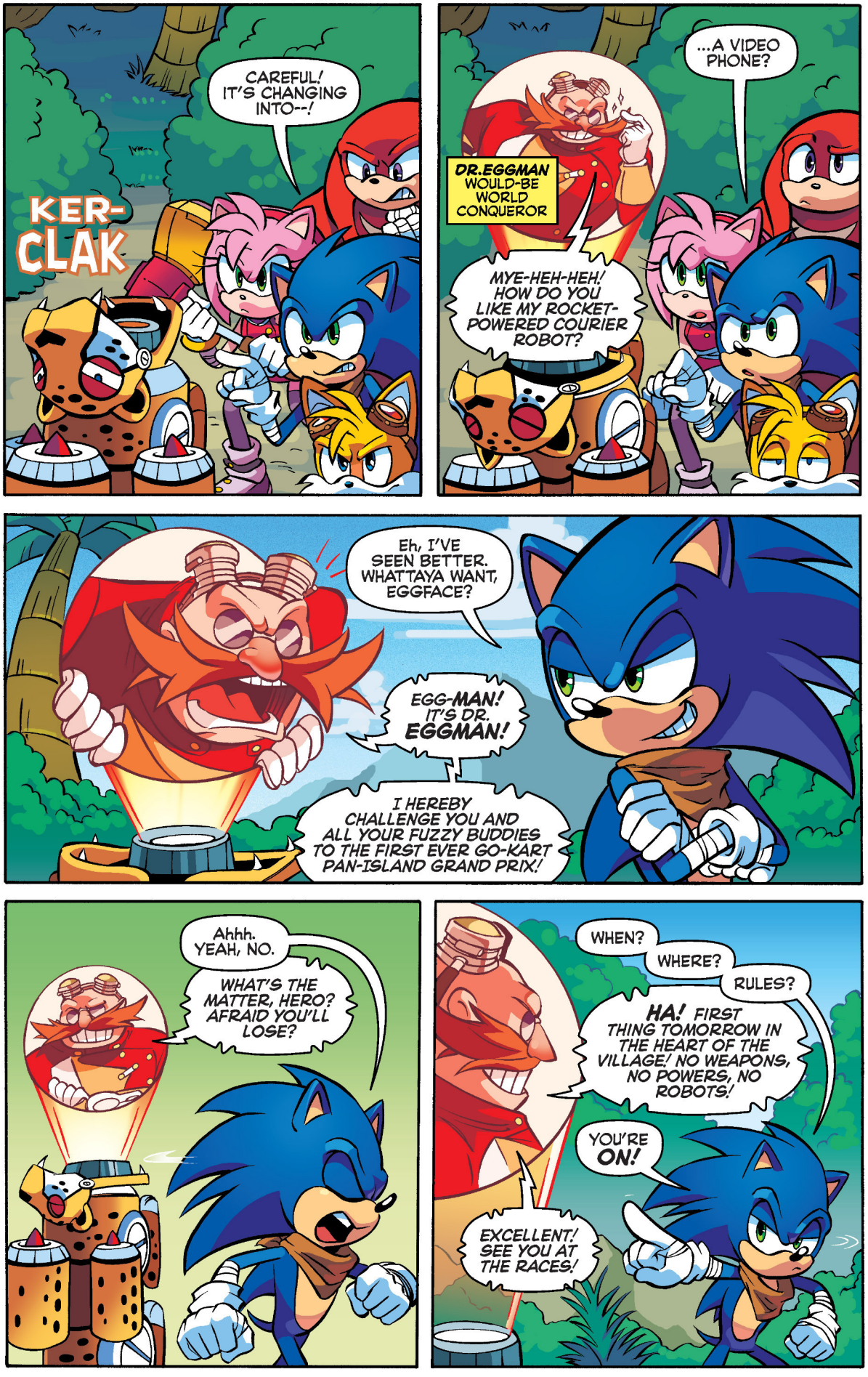
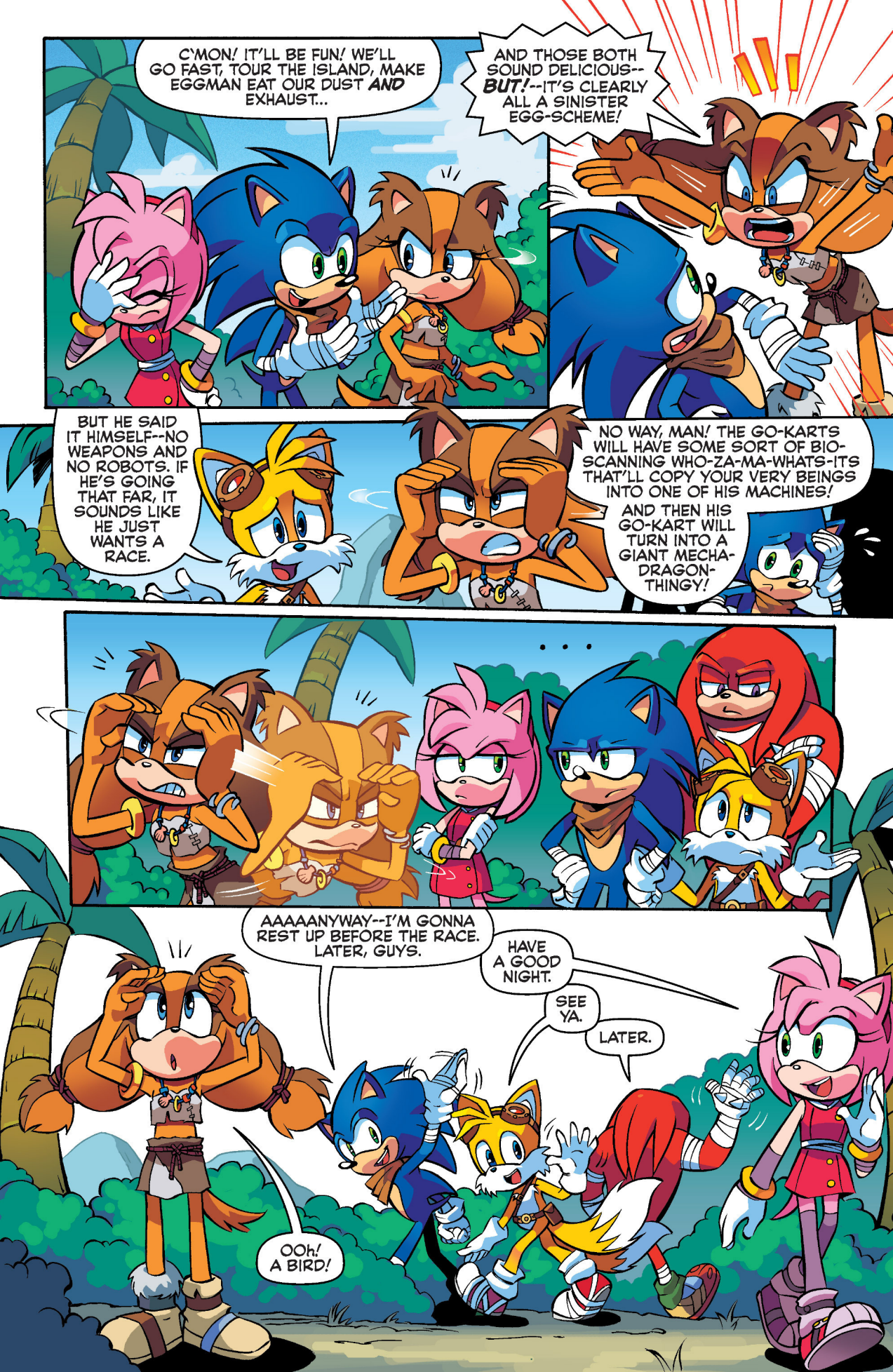
and the CHARACTER BUSINESS and LICENSING DEPARTMENT
of SEGA CORPORATION
IT'S BEEN TWENTY MILES, AND YOU'RE STILL THERE.
Huh.
DR. EGGMAN FINALLY BUILT A FAST ROBOT!
SONIC THE HEDGEHOG
SUPER-FAST
HEROIC
HEDGEHOG


GRK!
SONIC THE HEDGEHOG NEEDS TO WATCH WHERE HE'S GOING
KER-THUMP
KER-WHUMP
KER-FLUMP
I THINK I LIKED IT BETTER WHEN WE SAID OUR INTROS...
Oh, RIGHT--
--THE SUPER-FAST KILLER ROBOT!
!!!
NOBODY HURTS SONIC!
UNLESS HE BUGS US.
KNUCKLES!
I MEAN... WHAT TAILS SAID.
KNUCKLES the ECHIDNA BIG, BURLY BRAWLER
STICKS the BADGER ~~PARANOID DELUSIONAL~~ RUSTIC WARRIOR
AMY ROSE NIMBLE HAMMER-SWINGER
KER-FLEEEE
KER-WHOOSH
MILES "TAILS" PROWER HIGH-FLYING GENIUS


CAREFUL! IT'S CHANGING INTO--!
KER-CLAK
...A VIDEO PHONE?
DR.EGGMAN WOULD-BE WORLD CONQUEROR
MYE-HEH-HEH! HOW DO YOU LIKE MY ROCKET-POWERED COURIER ROBOT?
Eh, I'VE SEEN BETTER. WHATTAYA WANT, EGGFACE?
EGG-MAN! IT'S DR. EGGMAN!
I HEREBY CHALLENGE YOU AND ALL YOUR FUZZY BUDDIES TO THE FIRST EVER GO-KART PAN-ISLAND GRAND PRIX!
Ahhh. YEAH, NO.
WHAT'S THE MATTER, HERO? AFRAID YOU'LL LOSE?
WHEN?
WHERE?
RULES?
HA! FIRST THING TOMORROW IN THE HEART OF THE VILLAGE! NO WEAPONS, NO POWERS, NO ROBOTS!
YOU'RE ON!
EXCELLENT! SEE YOU AT THE RACES!

KER-FWOOOSH
ARE YOU SURE ABOUT THIS?
YOU MEAN GO-KARTING WITH MY ARCH-NEMESIS? NOT REALLY-- HOW MANY HEROES DO THAT?
STILL...IF I'M STUCK DRIVING, I GUESS THAT MAKES IT FAIR FOR EVERY-ONE ELSE.
I QUESTION HIM BUILDING A COURIER ROBOT THAT CAN FINALLY OVERTAKE SONIC AND NOT FITTING IT WITH A WARHEAD.
IT'D BE A LOUSY COURIER IF IT BLEW UP.
YEAH. EXACTLY WHAT I MEANT.
WELL, YOU CAN COUNT ME OUT! O-U-T-- OUT!


C'MON! IT'LL BE FUN! WE'LL GO FAST, TOUR THE ISLAND, MAKE EGGMAN EAT OUR DUST AND EXHAUST...
AND THOSE BOTH SOUND DELICIOUS-- BUT!--IT'S CLEARLY ALL A SINISTER EGG-SCHEME!
BUT HE SAID IT HIMSELF--NO WEAPONS AND NO ROBOTS. IF HE'S GOING THAT FAR, IT SOUNDS LIKE HE JUST WANTS A RACE.
NO WAY, MAN! THE GO-KARTS WILL HAVE SOME SORT OF BIO-SCANNING WHO-ZA-MA-WHATS-ITS THAT'LL COPY YOUR VERY BEINGS INTO ONE OF HIS MACHINES!
AND THEN HIS GO-KART WILL TURN INTO A GIANT MECHA-DRAGON-THINGY!
AAAAANYWAY--I'M GONNA REST UP BEFORE THE RACE. LATER, GUYS.
HAVE A GOOD NIGHT.
SEE YA.
LATER.
OOh! A BIRD!

THE DAY OF THE RACE!!

(AND ALL YOU HAD TO DO WAS TURN A PAGE!)

HEY, EGGS BENEDICT! READY TO LOSE?

"EGGMAN"! IT'S NOT THAT HARD!

IT WAS NICE OF YOU TO SUPPLY THE GO-KARTS FOR THE RACE, BUT ARE THEY STRUCTURALLY SOUND? YOU MUST'VE BUILT THEM AWFULLY FAST...

EH-HEH-HEH! NOT AT ALL! THEY'RE ALL PART OF...ER...AN OLD HOBBY PROJECT OF MINE!

BOMB DRIVER MYSTERY RACER

CUBOT LACKING ROBOT LACKEY

PSST! WHO'S THE NEW GUY?

ORBOT ROBOT LACKEY

SIGH HE'S PART OF THE PLAN. JUST... DON'T ASK.

WHAT'S IT TAKE FOR A CELEBRITY TO GET NOTICED ON THIS TRACK? WE HAVEN'T EVEN STARTED, AND I'M ALREADY EXHAUSTED! HEY-O!

COMEDY CHIMP STAND-UP COMIC (CURRENTLY SITTING)

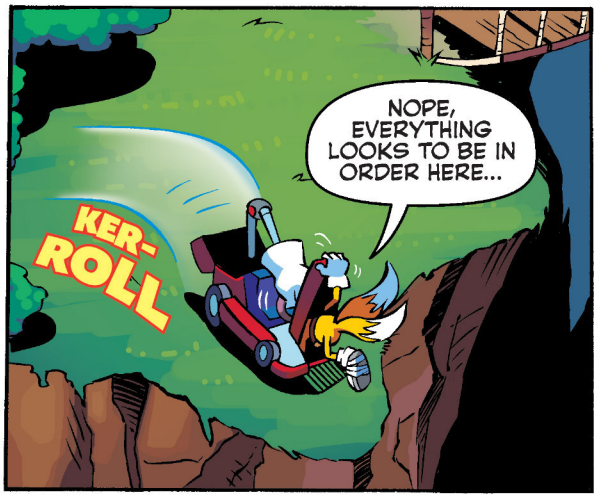
ALL RIGHT, EVERYONE. LET'S HAVE A NICE, CLEAN RACE. DON'T GO TOO FAST. DRIVE COURTEOUSLY.
READY? GET SET. GO--
KER-VROOM
KER-VROOM
KER-VROOM
HAHA! ON FEET OR ON WHEELS, I'M THE FASTEST THING ALIVE!
THE RACE JUST STARTED, SONIC!
THE HEROES ARE TAKING QUITE THE EARLY LEAD, BOSS.
YES...
...JUST AS PLANNED!

WHOA!
KER-SCREEEECH
KER-BOOP
TOO CLOSE! GO ON, LITTLE DUCKS! SHOO! SHOO! I'M GETTING LEFT BEHIND!
HEY! DON'T RUN OVER THE ADORABLE LITTLE DUCKIES!!
KER-VROOM
THE POOR... DEFENSE-LESS... DUCKIES... ??
I TAKE IT BACK! I TAKE IT BACK!

HUH? WHERE DID AMY--?
YIPE!
KER-SCREEEECH
WATCH IT! YOU'RE GOING TO RUN ME OFF THE ROAD!
THAT'S THE *POINT*-- HAHA!
KER-KLANK

WATCH WHERE YOU'RE GOING!
I'M GOING WHERE YOU'RE GOING! STOP DRIVING SO CLOSE!
THIS IS MY SIDE OF THE ROAD! STAY ON YOUR SIDE!
KER-KLONK
YOU'RE RUINING THE PLAN!
KER-SLAP
KER-SLAP
YOU'RE RUINING THE PLAN!
STOP COPYING WHAT I SAY!
KER-SLAP
KER-SLAP
STOP COPYING WHAT I SAY!
KER-KRASH
...AWW...
MY AIRBAG DIDN'T DEPLOY...
KER-PFOOM

HMM... WAS THAT NORMAL STUPIDITY OR MALICIOUS STUPIDITY? LET'S LOOK UNDER THE HOOD--SEE IF DR. EGGMAN'S HIDING ANYTHING!
KER-
BOOP


NOPE, EVERYTHING LOOKS TO BE IN ORDER HERE...
KER-
ROLL

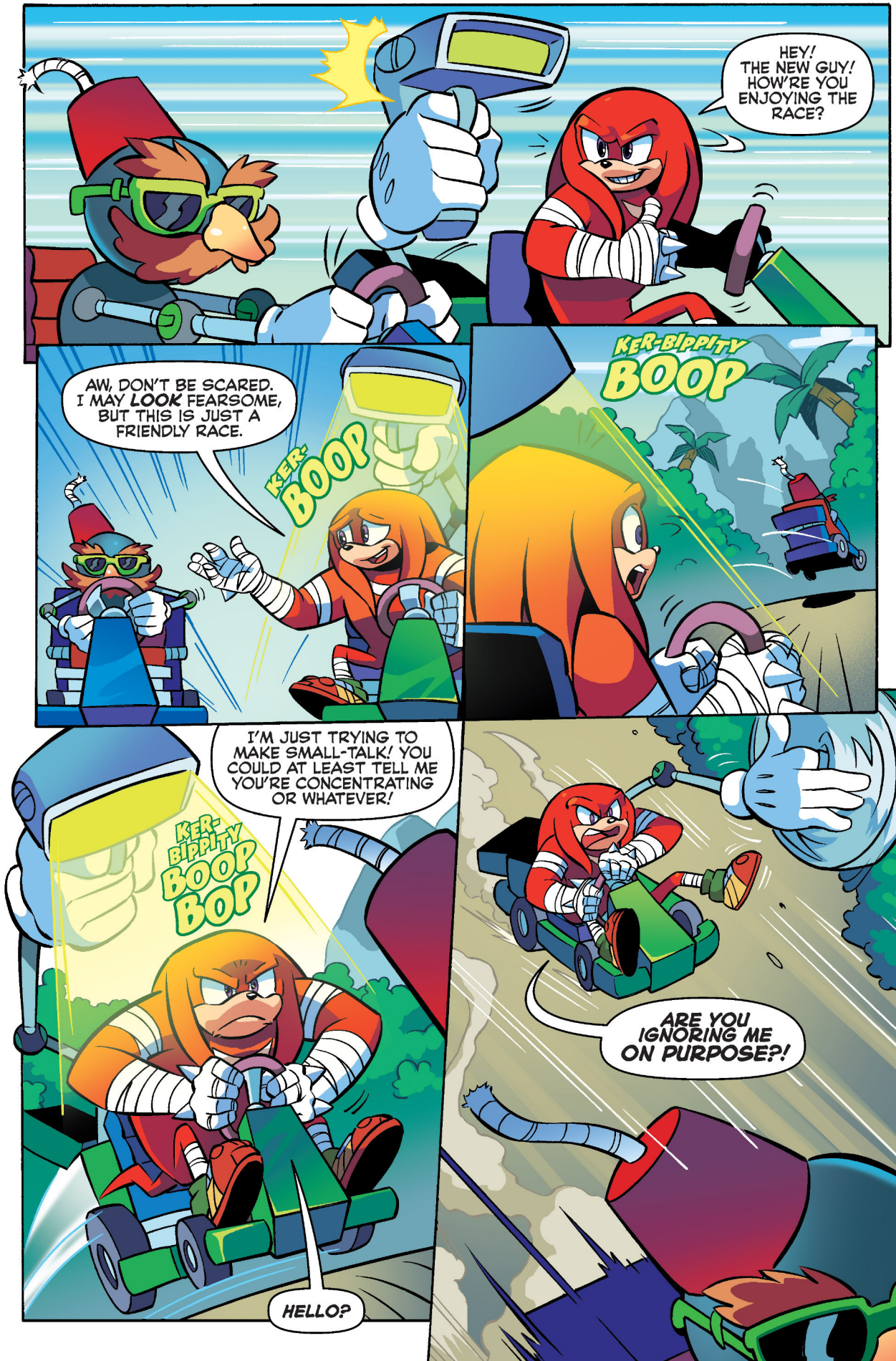
I GUESS EGGMAN KNEW BETTER THAN TO TRY TO SNEAK SOMETHING PAST A GENIUS LIKE ME!
KER-
ROLL

HA-HA-HA--
HAUGHK?!

FOR THE RECORD: THIS ISN'T STUPIDITY ON MY PART. JUST CARELESSNESS.

YOWZA... POOR KID. I WONDER IF I SHOULD PULL OVER AND...?
YOU SHOULD CRASH YOUR CART ON PURPOSE!
SHOULDER DEVIL! WHY WOULD I WANT TO DO THAT?
CRASHING YOUR CART WOULD BE A SPECTACLE, BABY! IF YOU WANNA GET NOTICED, YOU'VE GOTTA GIVE 'EM A SHOW!
YEAH, BUT... WAIT, WHERE'S THE OTHER GUY?
RIGHT HERE!
WHEW! SO, WHAT DO YOU--?
CRASH IT! CRASH IT!
ALRIGHT-- THIS ONE'S FOR YOU, MA!
KER-KRASH

THE HERD'S THINNING OUT FASTER THAN I ANTICIPATED-- HEH HEH!
AND THE AWARD... FOR BEST BAD DECISION GOES TO...
NO MATTER! MY BIO-SCANNING WHO-ZA-MA-WHATS-ITS™ IS NEARLY DONE SCANNING EACH OF MY HATED FOES!
AND ONCE I UPLOAD ALL THAT DATA TO MY SERVERS, PROJECT HODGE PODGE WILL MOVE ON TO ITS NEXT, DEADLY PHASE!*
*FIRST HINTED AT IN... WAIT, THIS ISSUE?!
KER-VROOOM
YOU! GET THE LEAD OUT AND DO YOUR JOB!
I DIDN'T EVEN BUILD YOU WITH LEAD!


HEY! THE NEW GUY! HOW'RE YOU ENJOYING THE RACE?
AW, DON'T BE SCARED. I MAY LOOK FEARSOME, BUT THIS IS JUST A FRIENDLY RACE.
KER-BOOP
KER-BIPPITY BOOP
I'M JUST TRYING TO MAKE SMALL-TALK! YOU COULD AT LEAST TELL ME YOU'RE CONCENTRATING OR WHATEVER!
KER-BIPPITY BOOP BOP
HELLO?
ARE YOU IGNORING ME ON PURPOSE?!

I'M WARNING YOU!
YOU'RE GONNA SHOW ME SOME COMMON COURTESY OR SO HELP ME--!
THAT'S IT!
KER-PLINK
KER-BOOM

KER-KLUNK
THAT WAS MEANT FOR SONIC.
BUT...EH, CAN'T ARGUE WITH RESULTS!
ALL OF THE BIO-DATA HAS BEEN COPIED! IT'S DOWN TO ME AND SONIC NOW...
...WHICH MEANS IT'S TIME FOR THIS!
KER-HONK
KER-HONK

KER-BIPPITY BOOP BOP BEEP
ONE LAST NARROW BRIDGE, AND THEN IT'S THE HOME STRETCH! YOU READY, GUYS?
WHERE DID EVERYBODY--?
KER-HONK
KER-HONK

WHAT THE--?!
HAHAHA!!
YES!!
HOW NICE! I'VE WON THE BATTLE, AND NEXT I'LL WIN THE RACE!
EVERYTHING'S COMING UP EGGMAN!

HOLY MACKEREL!
WE NEED TO PLUG STUFF QUICK BEFORE SONIC HITS THE GROUND!
COME-BACK-NEXT-MONTH-FOR-THE-THRILLING-CONCLUSION!
THERE'S-MORE-SONIC-FUN-IN-SONIC-THE-HEDGEHOG-SONIC-UNIVERSE-SONIC-SUPER-SPECIAL-SONIC-SUPER-DIGEST-AND-THE-GRAPHIC-NOVEL-LIBRARY!
ACK!
SONIC'S ABOUT TO HIT THE TEASER TEXT--!

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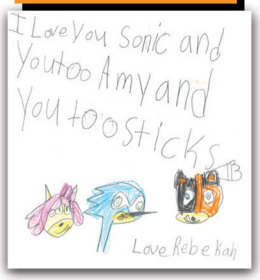

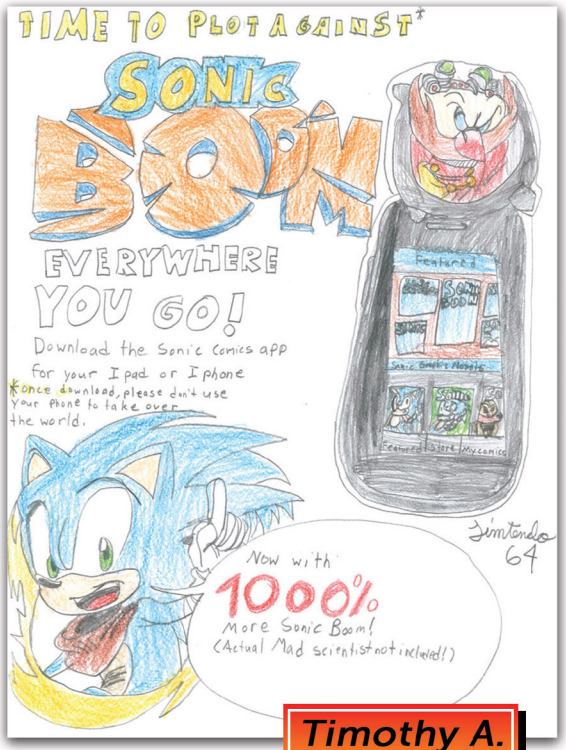

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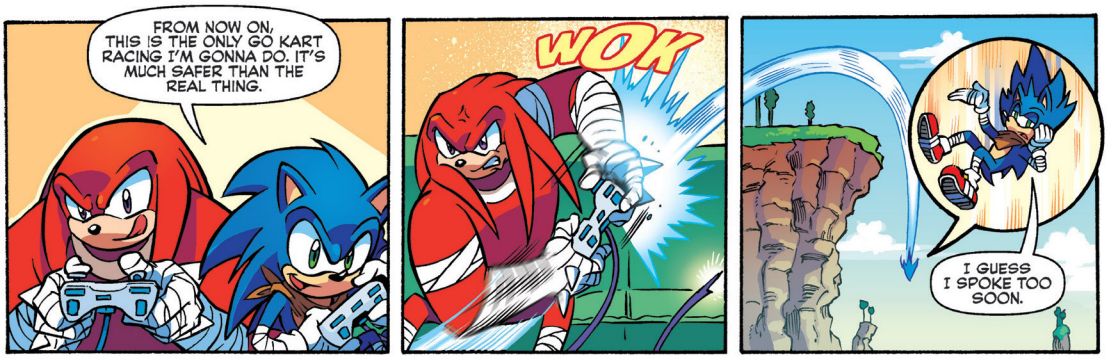

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Dear 'Sonic Boom Blast,'
So I've been hearing about another Sonic and Mega Man crossover coming up and I'd like to know more about it. When is it coming up?

You heard right, good sir! The next big crossover, "Worlds Unite" will begin this spring in our other equally awesome Sonic comic book, Sonic Universe! Issue 76 to be exact!

I heard it's also going to span across the Sonic Boom series and the Mega Man X universe. Does that mean all the alternate universes are combining? I'd like to get as much information about this crossover as I can.

Thanks!
Joey E. sent to
Sonic@ArchieComics.com

Thanks for the letter, Joey! The crossover will be spanning across the Sonic, Mega Man, Sonic Boom and Mega Man X universes. But wait, there's more! We've recently announced that characters from other Sega and Capcom franchises will be making guest appearances in the crossover as well! Will your favorite hero or villain show up? To find out, be sure to subscribe to all four titles. We are currently offering a special discounted bundle for the crossover which you could -- and totally should -- sign up for via the nifty coupon in this very book! But wait, there's even MORE crossover goodness! Drop by your local comic book shop on May 2nd for a FREE "Worlds Unite" flip book prelude comic! Visit ComicShopLocator.com to find a comic shop near you! Happy reading!

Dear 'Sonic Boom Blast,'
HELLO SONIC BOOM CREATORS!

Whoa! Hello! I think my ears may have popped off my head! Lemme just pick 'em up.

I REALLY REALLY REEEEALY LOVE SONIC BOOM the comic book and TV series are awesoooomme!

I'm REALLY delighted that you're so enthusiastic and enjoy it so much! :D

You've done a great job giving Sonic and the others new looks that truly go with their lifestyle ^_^ and I like the new character Sticks the Badger.

It truly is a fun new take on the characters and we're loving every moment with them! Also, Sticks is great! She's nuts in the best possible way!

I'm such a REALLY BIG FAN OF YOURS <3 <3 Looking foward to more of SONIC BOOM!

Cherry Lipgloss sent to
Sonic@ArchieComics.com

Thanks, Cherry Lipgloss! Stay super psyched 'cause with got plenty more Boom where that came from!

That's all for now, Sonic Boom buddies! Come on back next time as we reveal Sonic's fate in, "Everybody's Super Sonic Racing" part two!

CHECK OUT MORE AWESOME TITLES COMING SOON FROM Archie ACTION!

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